

RESOLUTION NO. 2012- 040

**A RESOLUTION OF THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SAN
BUENAVENTURA AUTHORIZING THE VENTURA WATER
GENERAL MANAGER TO APPLY FOR AND RECEIVE GRANT
FUNDS FROM THE CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF WATER
RESOURCES FOR A LOCAL GROUNDWATER ASSISTANCE
GRANT**

Whereas, in 2000, the California electorate approved the Local Groundwater Management Assistance Act of 2000 (California Water Code 10795 *et seq.*), which includes grant funding for public agencies to conduct groundwater studies or to carry out groundwater monitoring and management activities; and

Whereas, Ventura Water was formed as a department of the City of San Buenaventura for the purposes of providing quality water and wastewater services to customers throughout the City of San Buenaventura, integrating water management for long-term health and economic benefits for the community, operating and using resources efficiently, and protecting infrastructure through wise maintenance and renewal project investments; and

Whereas, Ventura Water, along with Members of the Ventura River Watershed Council, plans to study Ventura River surface water and groundwater interactions to create an understanding of how to sustainably manage groundwater extractions.


NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Council of the City of San Buenaventura, hereby:

SECTION 1: Approves the filing of an application to the California Department of Water Resources to obtain a Local Groundwater Assistance Grant to the Safe Drinking Water, Water Quality and Supply, Flood Control, River and Coastal Protection Bond Act of 2006 (Public Resource Code Section 75001 *et seq.*), and to enter into an agreement to receive a grant for the Upper Ventura River Basin Surface Water/Groundwater Interaction Study by Ventura Water.

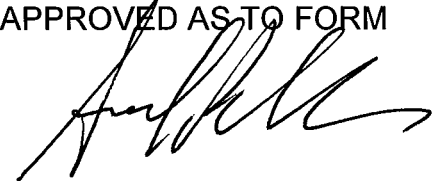
SECTION 2: Authorizes and directs the Ventura Water General Manager and/or his/her designee to prepare the necessary data, conduct investigations, file such application, and execute a grant agreement with the California Department of Water Resources.

SECTION 3: This Resolution will take effect immediately upon adoption.

PASSED AND ADOPTED this 9 day of July, 2012.


Cythia M. Rodriguez, CMC
City Clerk

APPROVED AS TO FORM


Ariel Pierre Calonne
City Attorney

STATE OF CALIFORNIA)
COUNTY OF VENTURA) ss
CITY OF SAN BUENAVENTURA)

I, Roxanne Fiorillo, Deputy City Clerk of the City of San Buenaventura, California, certify that the foregoing Resolution was passed and adopted by the City Council of the City of San Buenaventura at a regular meeting on July 9, 2012, by the following vote:

AYES: Councilmembers Brennan, Weir, Morehouse, Andrews,
 Monahan, Deputy Mayor Heitmann, and Mayor Tracy.

NOES: None.

ABSENT: None.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have set my hand and affixed the seal of the City of San Buenaventura on July 10, 2012.


Deputy City Clerk

